

RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

The Examiner has required restriction between:

- Group I: Claims 1-9, drawn to a bottle can member made of metal with a thread section having a specified thickness, thread number and outer diameter, or
- Group II: Claims 10 and 11, drawn to a method of forming a mouth section of a bottle can with a thread having a specified number and height orientation in a predetermined angle range, or
- Group III: Claim 12, drawn to thread forming device for a bottle can member comprised of a core and outer member of corresponding shape which produce a thread section with a specified thread number and orientation in a predetermined range.

In response Applicants elect Group I, claims 1-9, drawn to a bottle can member made of metal with a thread section having a specified thickness, thread number and outer diameter without traverse.